

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Matthew Balint, et al.

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Title: DYNAMIC INSTALLATION AND ACTIVATION OF SOFTWARE PACKAGES
IN A DISTRIBUTED NETWORKING DEVICE

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the second Office action mailed November 1, 2007, the shortened statutory period for which runs until February 1, 2008, please reconsider the subject application in light of the amendments and remarks herein.

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.
- **Remarks** begin on page 21.